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Time of Arrival and Departure of Trains at Reno.

ARRIVES	TRAIN.	DEPARTS
	SOUTHERN PACIFIC.	
9:35 p. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Express	8:45 p. m.
8:00 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound fast mail	8:10 a. m.
8:00 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Express	8:10 a. m.
9:20 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound fast mail	9:30 p m.
	VIRGINIA & TRUCKEE.	
	..No. 1, Virginia Express	8:15 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	..No. 2, San Fran. Express.	
	..No. 3, Local Passenger..	1:35 p. m
11:40 a m.	..No. 4, Local Passenger..	
	N.-O.-O. RY.	
	...Express and Freight...	8:40 a. m.
4.15 p. m.	...Express and Freight...	

Time o Arrival and Departure o Mails at Reno.

MAIL.	ARRIVES	CLOSES.
San Francisco, Sacramento and points in California and Oregon	8:15 a. m. 9:05 p. m.	8:00 p. m. 9:30 p. m.
Ogden, all Eastern points	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Carson, Virginia and all Southern points	8:55 p. m.	8:00 a. m
Susanville and all points north	4:15 p. m.	8:00 a.

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GOLD AND SILVER PLATING.

A Process That Is Described as Simple by a Professional.

The following is a very simple method for gold and silver plating: Take an ounce of nitrate of silver, which is made as follows: One ounce of fine silver, one ounce nitric acid, one-half ounce water. Put the silver into a Florence flask, then pour in the acid and water. Place the flask on the sand bath for a few moments, taking care not to apply too much heat, and as soon as chemical action becomes violent remove the flask to a cooler place and allow the action to go on until it nearly slacks, when, if there is any silver still remaining, the flask may be placed on the bath again until the silver disappears. If the acid employed is weak, it may be necessary to add a little more. The red fumes formed when chemical action is going on disappear when the acid has done its work.

The nitrate of silver formed during the above operation should be poured into a porcelain capsule and heated until a pellicle appears on the surface, when it may be set aside to crystallize. The uncrystallized liquor should be poured from the crystals into another vessel and heat applied until it has evaporated sufficiently to crystallize. Then you have nitrate of silver. Take an ounce of nitrate of silver, dissolve in a quart of distilled rainwater. When thoroughly dissolved, throw in a few crystals of hyposulphite of soda, which will at first form a brown precipitate, but which becomes redissolved if enough hyposulphite has been added. There must be present a slight excess of this salt. The solution is now complete. Take a sponge, dip it in the solution and rub it over the work to be plated.

A solution of gold may be made in the same way and applied as described. A concentrated solution of either gold or silver may be used for work that has been worn off by applying it with a camel's hair brush and touching it with a strip of zinc. The writer has used this method with the most satisfactory success. The gold or silver used in making [illegible] be perfectly fine.—Jewelers' Circular.

Changed the Bodies.

Here is a really true story: Lately an English family had the misfortune to lose an aged aunt, who died in St. Petersburg. Arrangements were most carefully made and directions sent that the body should be forwarded to England to be interred in the family vault. In due time a magnificent coffin arrived, and before it was lowered to its last resting place it was opened for inspection. Much to the dismay of the family, instead of finding the features and frail form of their beloved aunt, the corpse of a Russian officer, clothed in military garments and decorated with ribbons and medals, was disclosed to view. A frantic telegram was dispatched to the Russian capital, to which the following answer was received: "Lady buried yesterday with military honors. Please keep the general."—London Correspondence.

Humorous Aspects of a Police Court.

"He treats me something ridiculous," was the complaint of one much abused wife against her husband. The man being brought up to answer the charge and perhaps explain it, answered: "This is a dead piece of jealousy, your honor. Don't mind her."

An old Irish woman came before me at the Harlem court and wanted her "boy" arrested for misbehaving himself in her house. It came out that her boy was 38 years old, and when I said to her that he was a pretty old boy she remarked, "Sure, he's not a gurl, and I count a boy a man only when he's married."

A German with a very much battered head complained that the defendant had made a "dinge" in it and described the assault as follows, "He do mo a crack on de kopf, like dis, and I do noddings by him."—Scribner's.

Peanuts In Europe.

Peanuts grow in large quantities on the northwest coast of Africa, but are known there as ground nuts. They are dug up by the natives and bartered with the European traders for merchandise, tobacco, etc., at many places on the Gambia river and afterward shipped in steamer loads to European ports, principally to Marseilles. The nuts are not roasted for retail sale, as in this country, but crushed and a fine oil extracted, which is valuable commercially.—New York Sun.

Butler's Flag.

Feb. 21, 1866, General Benjamin F. Butler presented to congress the first genuine American flag, made of American materials by American labor, ever constructed in this country.

Prior to that time all American government flags had been made of English bunting. Since then all our official flags have been the product exclusively of American material and labor. There were 36 stars in the flag at that time.—New York Press.

The estimates of the yield of the potato crop in Great Britain show that on 533,000 acres a crop of 3,053,005 tons was secured, against an almost exactly similar quantity produced on a much larger acreage—753,000 acres—in Ireland.

In Paris the houses are very high and the streets narrow. In London the houses are low and the streets broad.

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If a man will but take the right care of himself and the right remedy he may protect himself against this relentless enemy. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is not only a sure preventive, but an absolute cure for consumption. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases. It acts, through the blood, directly on the lungs. It drives out all disease germs and impurities. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. All wasting diseases yield promptly to its action. Thousands have testified to its merits. Druggists sell it.

"I want to express my heartfelt thanks for Dr. Pierce's valuable medicine," writes Mrs. Rufus Bell, of Wise, Monongalia Co., W. Va. "My eldest daughter, a girl of 15, caught cold and we had the best doctors but could get no lasting relief. Oh, how she suffered! Often I have heard her pray for death to end her sufferings. I bought one bottle of each of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, 'Favorite Prescription,' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' Before our daughter used half the medicine her cough was all gone, and she was on the high road to health—which means to happiness."

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HOLDING HIM BACK.

Why an Enterprising Man Has No Chance to Become a Millionaire.

Blummer is one of our citizens who live well and do nothing. He toils not, neither does he spin, and yet he and his family live in comfort that is not many removes from luxury. This has subjected Blummer to adverse criticism, which fairly lacerates his sensitive feelings, and he unbosomed himself to a few friends the other evening while they were enjoying the good things he keeps on tap.

"There's not a lazy bone in my body," he began aggressively. "I'd rather work than eat, and I've always thought that I had a great business head on me. But the record's against me. My father set me up in a mercantile business, and when I had a balance struck at the end of a year there was not enough left to make a decent assignment. On his death I came into a handsome fortune, and I just thought I'd show my relatives how I had been misjudged by investing secretly in a great southern land scheme. I went down gleefully to look over my new purchase and gloat over my prospects. Most of my real estate was at the bottom of a lake, and what was on dry land wouldn't raise a hill of corn to the acre.

"My brother got me a nice position as traveling salesman, and I had sold whole carloads of goods at half price before the house could head me off. They told me that I must sell to hold my place, and that was what I was doing, but they discharged me so hard that I never got rightly over it. Mother bought me a farm, and again I started to astonish my folks by my business shrewdness. I traded the farm for the state right to a patent fence. All I got out of that was a judgment against me in an infringement case. Mother left me what I have now, with a proviso that I should forfeit everything if I tried to do business of any kind. That's why I have no chance to make myself a millionaire."—Detroit Free Press.

MELTED SNOW POWER.

Swiss Towns That Utilize the Mountain Streams.

Besides a considerable number of large water power installations Switzerland is full of small power plants, nearly every town in that land of mountains and waterfalls being well supplied with power from the "white coal," as the melting snow on the mountain sides has well been called. When there are no large streams, many small ones are impounded and collected in reservoirs on the hillsides, and it is rare to find a place of any size which is not well lighted by the power of some mountain stream.

At Montreux the electric tramway gets its power in this way, and from the old Roman town of Vevey to the mediæval castle of Chillon one may ride in a trolley car propelled by the power of an insignificant little stream which may or may not be noticed when climbing up the hillsides just above.

The capabilities of this general utilization of natural power are beginning to be understood everywhere, and, with the appreciation of the possibilities of the best methods of long distance transmission, the development of many mountain streams must safely come. There are innumerable streams, which, while very small, are yet very high, and these can with comparatively little difficulty be impounded and carried down many hundreds of feet, thus making up for their lack of volume by the great pressure readily obtainable, and, either by the use of electricity or compressed air, the power may be transmitted to many points of application with but little loss.—Cassier's Magazine.

Lamps Invented by Chinese.

It is supposed that the earliest lamps were made of the skulls of animals, in which fat was burned. Afterward seashells were used, then pottery and metals. The invention of lamps, like so many other implements of present day civilization, has been attributed to the Chinese.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE Second Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Washoe.

In the matter of the Estate of Clara Derby, deceased.

Notice of Appointment.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified by the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Washoe, as Administrator of the estate of Clara Derby, late of said county, deceased.

Dated April 27th, 1897.

L. B. DERBY,
Administrator of Said Estate.

CURLER & CURLER,
Attorneys for Administrator.

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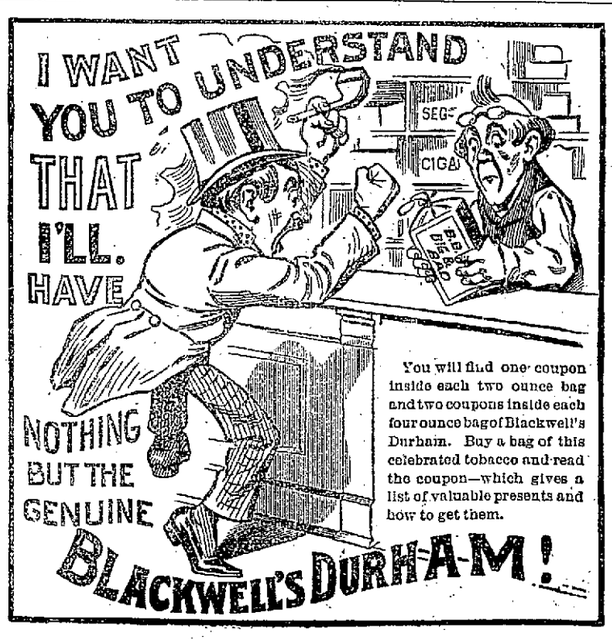

A PRINTER'S TALE.

KIRKE LA SHELLE TELLS OF THE EVOLUTION OF A NEWSPAPER.

A Chicago Experience In Journalism Many Phases of Which Are Not Unknown In Other Sections—How Many Climbed the Ladder In the Country Printing Office.

Kirke LaShelle, manager of the "Wizard of the Nile" Comic Opera company, used to be a printer on the daily papers of Chicago in the earlier times, and tells some interesting stories. He has seen both sides of life, and in the sunny times of the present has not entirely forgotten a certain charm that gilded the days when things did not "come so easy."

In the first place he was a printer on a country paper down at Wyoming, Ills. He distributed pi, washed the rollers, helped with the press work, built the fires and swept the office. And he received $1.25 a week for his services. There was a journeyman printer who could make $6 or $7 when he was sober and who could quote whole pages of Byron and Scott and Tennyson when he was drunk. The foreman received $12 a week, and the sum seemed perfectly stupendous to LaShelle.

Whatever could a man do with $12 a week? In what possible manner could he find places for so much money? Where could he put it? How should he spend it? How greater than the fortunes of princes was the estate of this foreman who received $12 a week!

LaShelle grew in efficiency till he could set as much type as the journeyman, and then the latter rose to such inebriated heights that he could no longer recite poetry and was discharged. The pay of the apprentice was then raised to $3 a week. The foreman left and came to Chicago, and after a time wrote for his former "devil," and the lad left Wyoming and took a place as galley boy on the old Telegraph, which had been started as a greenback paper by Colonel S. F. Norton.

It was an afternoon paper, and LaShelle had all the work he could do and drew $5 a week for doing it. After awhile Colonel Norton retired from the paper and a man named Collins, from Winchester, came up and invested $40,000 in the struggling concern. It is said of Mr. Collins that his dream of life consisted in the ability to write passes to theaters, and the dream was never realized till he had bought The Telegraph.

The paper ran as an afternoon sheet for about a year, and then it changed suddenly to a morning issue. The change seems to have been a mistake, for The Telegraph lost money steadily, but this fact did not for a time interfere with Mr. Collins' privileges with the theaters. Then came a day when the business manager of the paper came up and announced to the men that he would have to hold back a certain portion of their pay for a week or so. At the end of that time the office was unable to provide any of the pay. The business manager come up and told the men if they would hold on for a day or two everything would be all right, as Mr. Collins was negotiating for a sale.

That went on for another week, and one night the men went up to the composing room and talked the matter all over. They had worked for nothing as long as they thought there was any reason for it. They believed in being loyal to their paper, but they saw no reason why the thing should run along indefinitely. The time for starting composition approached, and the men had really concluded not to pick up a type. Suddenly the ruined owner came slowly, laboriously, up the stairs.

"Good evening, gentlemen," said he. "I don't suppose you feel like working again tonight, and I cannot blame you. Of course you ought to have your money. If the paper could go on till tomorrow I believe the trade would be made, and in that event you will all get your money. If a paper is not issued in the morning, of course there will be nothing to sell, and I can do nothing toward paying you, for I have sunk every dollar I had in the world, and this is the end of my resources. I put $40,000 in The Telegraph and it is all gone.

"I don't care so much for myself. It really doesn't matter. I am getting to be an old man, and these things cannot interest me much longer, but when a man has put the earnings of his lifetime in a business, as I have, he gets to feel a sort of interest in it and to wish it might live, even if it has to pass to others.

"Well, I suppose you are right. Of course I cannot ask you to do any more." And he turned wearily and started down stairs.

The foreman looked toward the clock. It marked just 7—the time for going to work. Every man felt in his right hand vest pocket for his composing rule, and without a word every printer walked straight to his case and began the regular work of the evening. As the defeated owner reached the bottom of the stairs he could hear the thrilling click of metal type in the steel sticks of the men, and he knew he had not been abandoned in his extremity.

The paper was sold next day, as Collins had hoped. A man named Perkins—a large, unctuous man—bought the sheet, and he lasted just two weeks. Later The Telegraph was acquired by a little group of men, who knew newspaper work and dared to make a tilt at fortune, though their fortunes were small. They changed the named to The Herald, and the business they founded grew as no newspaper in Chicago has ever grown before. Its later history is well known to every one in Chicago.

La Shelle gravitated from the case to the reportorial desk and later to dramatic writing. From there he stepped into the management of dramatic companies.

The retrospect is a little curious. He used to wonder what a man could possibly do with $12 a week. Now his star gets $500 a week, and the comedian wonders how a man could possibly live on less.—Chicago Post.

HOBBS

Challenge to the Citizens of Reno Which has Appeared in the Dailies in this City for the Past Three Days Greates

A TREMENDOUS SENSATION.

The Public Seem Thoroughly Aroused

A General Eagerness to Know What the Outcome of this Affair Will be is Plainly Noticeable Amongst Many of Our Readers.

JULIUS HOBBS, M. D.

As a result of the announcement made by the Reno news papers the last few days, that a free package of Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills would be given away to any of our readers who would call at W. Pinnigers Drug Store, to-day, an intense interest has been awakened in this distribution.

A large number of people called yesterday to make inquiries about the free samples of this wonderful medecine to be given away to-day, which shows what general interest is taken by the public in the test now being given by Dr. Hobbs of his discovery for the cure of all kidney ailments.

Much to our gratification, a number of lady callers have shown an unusual interest in this great distribution.

"Can it be possible," said a man who called yesterday, "that the advancement in the science of medicine has at last reached a climax for poor sufferers like myself?"

"I am going to say one thing at any rate. The owners of this medicine certainly have faith in it, and they are going about it in an honest, straightforward manner. Just this thing alone gives me confidence and strong hope that I shall again be a well man."

Another caller yesterday—a lady—said: "I live several miles away from Reno but I am going to get a sample of this new kidney medicine for my husband. He has been a sufferer from kidney disease for many years."

"We have spent thousands of dollars with the best doctors we could hear of North and South, but at the best he has received only temporary relief.

"Dr. Hobbs' announcement that he has made a discovery that will cure and build up the kidneys, and his offer to prove it by the giving away of a free package, is quite a novelty to me, as heretofore it has been 'pay' whether the medicine did any good or not."

"We are going to give this remedy a good, fair trial, and I hope that others, suffering as my husband is, will hear of it and accept the kind and generous offer which Dr. Hobbs makes."

It is expected that to-day there will be a great rush of applicants for a free package of Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Kidney Pills. But no matter what the demand is, W. Pinniger is well prepared to meet it.

All those living in Reno or any town outside, who apply at our store to-day in person or write for a sample, will be welcome, and not only a

FREE SAMPLE BOX

of this wonderful medicine will be given or sent to each applicant, but also Dr. Hobbs' little book, which in a concise way treats on kidney trouble.

This great free distribution ends tonight at 7 o'clock, so that all who wish to avail themselves of Dr. Hobbs' generous offer should call or write immediately or they will miss the opportunity.

W. PINNIGER.
Reno, Nev.

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DISASTROUS FLOODS.

The Mississippi and Missouri rivers and their tributaries have inundated tracts of fertile lands in the several States through which they find their way to the Gulf of Mexico, which exceed in extent three or four of the New-England States.

While the loss of life caused by the high waters has not been great, the damage to property is almost incalculable, and thousands of prosperous farmers have been driven from their homes by the merciless waters, and left destitute.

The Government appropriated $200,000 to relieve the immediate wants of the sufferers by the floods, whose numbers are so large that the appropriation will not more than supply them with the common necessaries of life for a few weeks.

The cause of the unusually high waters at this season of the year in the Mississippi and Missouri valleys, is attributed by scientists to the wholesale destruction of forests along the headwaters of those streams. Naturally the deep snows, which fall in the winter season about the sources of the great rivers of the Western States, were sheltered from the rays of the spring sun by dense forests, and melted gradually. Now the lands are denuded of the covering given then by nature, and the first breath of spring melts the snows and makes a raging torrent of every rivulet, which uniting in the large streams cause them to overflow their banks and convert the lowlands along their borders into lakes.

The Mississippi in many places as far north as Quincy, Illinois, is from eight to ten miles wide, deluging the country and sweeping farm houses and everything movable, with irresistable force toward the Gulf of Mexico.

These floods may be expected every spring unless the preceding winter has been remarkably dry, until nature again clothes the country about the sources of the great rivers with vegetation, and the wholesale and indiscriminate destruction of forests is prevented by law. At present, however, there is little probability of any restrictive legislation, as the trusts insist upon a high duty on lumber, and their influence is much greater in Congress than that of the farmers whose lands have been submerged by the high waters.

It is true the Government has provided for a forestry commission to restrict the denudation of timber lands and encourage the planting of trees, but while there is an incentive of a high tariff to cut down trees and prevent the importation of lumber from the British possessions, the work of the despoiler will be continued regardless of the disastrous consequences to the residents in the lowlands along the great streams of the Mississippi and other agricultural valleys.

GOLD SHIPMENTS AGAIN IN ORDER

Since the election of President McKinley and the assurance on his part by platform and declaration that the single gold standard would be maintained in the United States until foreign nations gave their assent to the coinage of silver very little gold has been shipped out of the country. The gold trust found opportunities to invest in other securities than Government bonds and gold has been accumulating in the National Treasury. Now, however, there is a demand for American gold abroad and shipments of the metal are again being made to Europe. Tuesday $1,000,000 was exported from New York to London and other shipments will probably be made before the close of the week.

Last year the balance of trade was in favor of the United States to the extent of several hundred millions of dollars. Naturally this would necessitate the shipment of several hundred millions of gold to the United States to square accounts. It appears, however, that it does not more than pay the interest on what we owe Europe for three or four months and gold has to be shipped across the Atlantic to pay for the rest of the year. The friends of the Administration, those who profit by the favoritism shown to trusts and combinations, spend much of their time in Europe and take about $100,000,000 of gold annually out of the country to pay their expenses. Then there are trust magnates, who buy titles for their daughters at exhorbitant prices, and take many millions more for that purpose and the interest on Government, railroad and other bonds require hundreds of millions which must be paid by money collected from the people. Now this interest is again becoming due and as the money kings have more money to invest, the treasury may be drained to create a demand for another bond issue, as the policy of the powers that be is to issue bonds for gold the moment the $100,000,000 reserve is encroached upon regardless of the amount of other legal tender money in the treasury vaults.

NOT SEEKING OFFICE.

The rumor that Colonel H. B. Maxson who went to Washington last winter as he has heretofore done, on purely private business, is seeking office is wholly unfounded. Advices from authentic sources at the National Capital are to the effect that Colonel Maxson is not seeking nor does he want any appointment. His business as Civil Engineer requires his time and attention and his visit to Washington last winter was not unusual, as he has been in that city every winter for the last five years. He was appointed aide on the Staff of General Horace Porter, Grand Marshal of the Inaugural Parade, before he left Reno and he excepted and filled the position on the 4th of March. His family resides in Reno and he expects to remain in Nevada.

THE FLOODS.

Fifty People Drowned and the Scenes Heartrending.

GUTHRIE, O. T., April 28.—At 6 o'clock this morning a mighty wave of water six feet high and a mile wide swept down Cottonwood Valley and struck this city. A deafening roar went up as the water crushed the houses and drove the people from their homes. At the first rush of the water every boat and bridge was swept away. All the west of Guthrie is submerged. Twenty business houses have ten feet of water in them. The river is twenty feet above the ordinary level and hundreds of people are in the trees but cannot be helped. Several men, trying to swim the current to reach four women and a baby in a tree, were carried away. A woman wading from home with a baby on her head was swept away and lost. It is believed that more than a score of negroes were drowned. Persons who escaped the flood estimate that fully fifty persons were drowned.

Nine people were seen to drown; two women and a child were carried away on a bridge; one man and two women were on a house roof when it went to pieces and they perished. As there is no communication it was absolutely impossible to get the names. Scores are missing. Many buildings are still going down. A girl in a peach tree for hours just gave up and fell into the water. Hundreds of men are building boats at the lumber yards. Gus Platt and George Wells swam the main current, got a flat boat from its moorings and saved seven people. It is believed that many were caught in bed in the small houses and drowned. The Big Cimmaroon bridge is gone. Immense damage has been done in the country. Skeleton Creek has washed away scores of farm houses. Several people were drowned.

Rumors of an appalling loss of life are in circulation. Some place the number of dead at over one hundred. The real extent of the catastrophe is still uncertain. Many persons were drowned in their sleep. The property loss is estimated at half a million. The central portion of the town of Guthrie is unharmed.

WAR NEWS.

Greece Deemed—The Powers Do Not Interfere.

PARIS, April 28.—King George of Greece is credited with desiring to abdicate in favor of his second son, Prince George.

VOLO, Thessaly, April 28.—The Turkish advance forces attacked the Greeks at Valestino, about eight miles west of Volo, on the railrood connecting the latter place with Krissa and Pharsalos. The Turks were repulsed with heavy losses and driven back. General Smolenski, on hearing of the attack upon Valestino, made a sorti from Pharsolos to support the Greek forces at Valestino.

ATHENS, April 28.—The public excitement is increasing. Foreigners are hoisting their national flags over the buildings inhabited by them. A popular outbreak is feared.

The report that the King was compelled to sign a decree recalling Prince Constantine from the front is unfounded. The Crown Prince will remain at the head of the army. The Greek troops in Epirus have been obliged to retire to Luclos.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 28.—An official dispatch from Salonica says that in an engagement at Lossalkia the Greeks were compelled to retreat with a loss of 400 killed and many wounded. The reports of the bombardment of Karaburun is denied.

A Double Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—On the arrival of the steamer Weber from Stockton this morning a mysterious case of double death on the steamer was reported. George Miller, a porter on the steamer, on opening a state room found in the berth the dead body of Dr. McCall of Stockton, and on the floor the body of an unknown man fully dressed. On the floor was a pint bottle filled with whisky. In a pocket of the unknown man was a Chinese wash ticket, on the back of which was written these words, "no one to blame." The officers of the steamer and the local police believe the case is one of double suicide. The body of Dr. McCall was identified by several of the crew and passengers.

A Terrific Hailstorm.

ST. LOUIS, April 28.—A special from San Louis Potosi, Mexico, to the *Globe-Democrat* says that the Rio Verde Valley has been visited by a terrific hailstorm, which ruined growing crops and caused a great loss of life. Reports have been received here of the killing of forty-one persons by hailstones. On one hacienda twelve persons were killed. Some of the hailstones weighed over three pounds.

In Favor of the Fair Trust.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 28.—The Supreme Court has rendered a decision which practically sustains the decision of Superior Judge Slack on the validity of the trust which James G. Fair attempted to create by his will. The decision is in the case of Bannalach vs. Richards and involves the same questions as were presented in the Fair case.

A FIEND.

Shoots Two Women and Burns Himself Up.

FRESNO, Cal., April 28.—A triple tragedy was enacted early this morning at Redbanks, nine miles north of Sanger, the result of which is that Mrs. John Qualls and her daughter Lulu are dying and their assailant, James Brooks, is dead. Brooks was formerly employed as a laborer on Qualls' ranch, but was discharged for persistly making love to Miss Lulu, much to her annoyance. Finally Brooks threatened to shoot the mother and daughter unless the latter promised to marry him. For this Brooks was sentenced to six months in the county jail, but before the expiration of the sentence was released upon bonds furnished by Qualls, Brooks promising not to trouble the girl again. Brooks then secured work at another ranch ten miles from Qualls', but instead of going to his new place Brooks appeared at Qualls' at 2 this morning armed with a hatchet and shot gun.

Qualls was absent in the mountains, and Lulu, hearing a noise, rose to be confronted by Brooks, who told her to say her prayers, as she must die. Her outcry aroused Mrs. Qualls, at whom Brooks fired, and the old lady fell shot through the breast. He then shot the girl, the discharge almost severing her right arm from her body. He then proceeded to finish the work of killing his victim with the hatchet, but finally, on the girl's kissing him, left the house. He set fire to it and to a neighboring barn, which he entered. His chared remains were found in the latter.

A Kentucky Senator at Last Elected.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 28.—Duboie, Rep., was to-day elected United States Senator for Kentucky, succeeding Joe Blackburn.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

It is believed now that the Greeks will will not be expelled from the Turkish Empire at the specified time.

Great Britain, Russia and France have notified the Turkish government that they will protect the Greeks in Turkey.

A cyclone swept through a part of Kansas yesterday morning doing considerable damage. It is believed to be a continuation of the storm in Oklahoma.

Colonel Finley Anderson, who was thrown from a horse during the Grant memorial parade at New York Tuesday, and supposed to have been fatally injured, is thought to be out of danger.

During a fire at Brooklyn, N. Y., yesterday morning two women and two children were burned. One of the women, a Mrs. Barnett, before being suffocated threw her two children from a window to the pavement, killing them.

Painter and Patron.

There was a touching exchange of compliments the other day between Emperor William and the Russian painter Vereschtschagin, whose works are now on exhibition in Berlin. The kaiser went to the gallery and was gracious enough to remind the artist that they had met before. "Yes, your majesty," replied Vereschtschagin, "and then you were only 'highness,' but now you are 'majesty.'" To this the kaiser is said to have replied, holding out his hand, "And you, who were a great painter then, are now a greater one."

It is not altogether surprising that the Russian is reported as expressing deep respect for the emperor's critical powers, or that he quotes, as showing faultless historical knowledge, the emperor's declaration, made at this momentous interview, that "if ever a judgment of God broke over a man, it was over Napoleon at Moscow." Meanwhile Vereschtschagin's pictures will continue to reveal the horrors of militarism, and thus supply one with the pleasant mental recreation of wondering what Europe's one real war lord can see to admire in them.—New York Times.

Punished.

Perturbed Parent—Who has eaten the cake in the pantry?

Undaunted Infant—I did.

P. P.—And what did you do that for?

U. I.—I heard you tell Jane always to keep the cupboard shut. Yesterday the lock went, so I thought I would punish her by eating all the cakes.—Pearson's Weekly.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Reno, Water, Land and Light Company will be held at the office of the company in Reno, Nevada,

Saturday, May 8, 1897,

At 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Trustees for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

4-24td W. L. BECHTEL, Secretary.

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The proper hats for America's uncrowned kings. Give just the proper finish to the attire and wear like true friendship. Stiff and soft hats deserve equal praise.

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Excellent quality, from $1 00 per suit upwards
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on cheek and brow is evidence that the body is getting proper nourishment. When this glow of health is absent assimilation is wrong, and health is letting down.

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BREVITIES.

See 50-cent ad. for situation wanted.

Pruning and gardening tools at Lange & Schmitt's. *

Frank Lee has returned from his Sierra Valley outing.

Paints and oils, the best and cheapest, at Lange & Schmitt's. *

Regent W. E. Deal arrived from California yesterday morning.

Garden hose and lawn mowers at San Francisco prices at Lange & Schmitt's.*

A notice of a called meeting of Adah Chapter No. 122 is published in the 50-cent column.

Read H. Hamlin's 50-cent ad. regerding spectacles and eye glasses. He can fit all comers.

Miss Flo Pinniger arrived from San Francisco yesterday morning on an extended visit to her parents.

We will sell you refrigerators and ice cream freezers, at next to cost. We have the largest stock in Nevada. Lange & Schmitt.

Plows, mowers, horse rakes and all other farming machinery at the Nevada Hardware & Supply Company's store.

Needham's furniture store, Virginia street, near iron bridge, is the agency for the New Home light running sewing machine. ap21-w4*

Do not fail to hear the Chinese Ngee Sine Band at the Opera House next Saturday night; tickets at Brookins' and Lake's.

Henry Riter's noon-day lunch is all that a hungry man can wish and his superior liquid refreshments will quench any thirst.

Churns, butter bowls, moulds, paddles, milk pans, and dairy appliances. at the Nevada Hardware and Supply Co's. store.

Chas. Becker has the sole agency for the "monopress," a neat little contrivance for embossing ones own stationery. Cheap and everlasting.

Just received the best stock of furniture, mattresses, baby buggies, carpets, etc., ever brought to Reno at Needham's Furniture Store, Virginia street. *mar20m1

Donnels & Steinmitz are agents for the new Wheeler & Wilson ball bearing sewing machines, which they sell at San Francisco prices. Don't fail to see them. *

Donnels & Steinmetz have a splendid line of carpets, floor rugs and mattings which they are offering at prices astonishingly low, also window shades of all kinds.

Chas. Lake's assortment of reading matter comprises the latest novels, magazines and periodicals. If he does not happen to have in stock what is wanted he will order.

The Porteous Decorating Company gives estimates on contracts, furnishing labor and material in painting or papering, or will sell the material to others doing the work.

Every vocalist and musician, every member of our local bands, town and University, together with all lovers of good music should attend the Opera House concert next Saturday; tickets only 25 cents.

A. Nelson will sacrifice his stock of furnishing goods in order to make room for new goods. Now is the time to get bargains. Call at his store on Virginia street. Free employment office connected with the store. *

Call at Muller & Stumpf's Pabst agency for fine California and imported wines for family and medicinal purposes. Sherry, port, muscatel, angelica and all dry wines by the gallon. Open every day until 7 o'clock. tf*

Hot lunch, Irish stew, mashed potatoes and many other good things for lunch to-day at Thyes'; A. B. C. St Louis beer and all fancy and mixed drinks at the bar; wines and liquors by the bottle or gallon; best grades at lowest prices.

The concert by the De Moss Company on Saturday evening will not begin until after 8 o'clock in order to give the business men a chance to be present. If you do not get there until 9:30 o'clock you will receive full value for your money and can be sure of a seat by reserving it at Lake's for 10 cents extra. General admission only 25 cents.

BEET SUGAR SEED.

Department of Agriculture Importuned From Many Farmers.

A late Washington dispatch states that the agricultural department is being importuned from all parts of the country for beet sugar seed. In view of the satisfactory prices received for staple crops during the past year and the prospective increase in the duty on sugar, farmers in all sections of the Union evidently intend to experiment with beet sugar culture. Heretofore beet sugar growing has been confined almost exclusively to Nebraska and California. The agricultural department has sent beet sugar seed, this spring, to about thirty Statesand Territories. The demand comes from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, the Dakotas, Texas, New Mexico, Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Tennessee, Kentucky and the Virginias. There have also been requests from Pennsylvania and New York. A Nebraska sugar refinery company donated five tons of beet sugar seed to the department, and the department purchased two tons additional. The supply is about exhausted, but the demand continues. If successful, the industry probably will be developed in many of the States in which experiments are made this year, supplanting corn and wheat.

Nevada Again Recognized.

An article, with illustrations, entitled "The Military Schools of the Pacific Coast," published in the *Overland Monthly* for May, is attracting considerable attention. The writer, Lieutenant Hamilton, U. S. A., is thoroughly posted on this particular subject, and an opinion from him as far as the instruction of the youth is concerned in military affairs is always recognized as coming from a man that has a national reputation as a military writer also as a tactician.

A number of fine half-tone cuts are presented, and the one showing Lieutenant Hamilton as Commandant and the officers and non-commissioned officers of the University Cadet Corps is excellent. Nevada has a right to feel proud of her University cadets, as through their instructor they rank as equals, and in most instances superiors, in point of military matters, to cadets of other institutions in the land of a similar character.

Reno Athletic Club Matters.

Last night's *Gazette* says that C. H. Colburn, named as a director of the Reno Athletic Club, tells the *Enterprise* that he will not serve and will withdraw from the undertaking. Upon inquiry the directors of the club state that Mr. Colburn is not, nor has he ever been a director of the club, consequently has no occasion to withdraw. Permanent organization will be perfected next Friday when matters pertaining to the selection of a site for the proposed building and the placing of the stock upon the market will be considered, also propositions looking to contests for finish fights between Corbett and Fitzsimmons and other stars in the pugilistic firmament will be arranged if possible for July and during Fair Week in September.

A Peculiar Phenomenon.

The Bodie *Miner* publishes a story about the peculiar actions of a gigantic yellow pine near Walker Lake. It is said that soon after sunset it begins shivering and gradually grows more agitated until its branches sweep the ground for a hundred or more feet around its trunk, and branches that have been shaken off begin to dance about the parent tree. All of this occurs without a sign of wind or other apparent cause. and the whole thing is a mystery. Of course Jim Townsend lives in that part of the country now and that fact may in a measure explain the phenomenon. Other comment is unnecessary.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an ideal panacea for coughs colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physicians' prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgus, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 50 years or more, and have never found any thing so beneficial, or that gave such a speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cough Remedy now. Trial bottles free at S. J. Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

In Favor of Sobriety.

This is the way the Elko *Independent* touches up "boozers:"

The janitor of the court house is on one of his periodical sprees again. He was arrested and locked up this morning for disturbing the peace. The commissioners should give him the grand bounce at their next meeting as there are sober men who would be glad to get the job.

On The Diamond.

A Virginia team of baseballists will arrive from the Comstock, Saturday, to play the Coronas of this city. It is expected that the game will be an interesting and exciting event.

It is proposed by the baseball enthusiasts to organize a State league and endeavor to bring the clubs of Nevada up to a standard so that they will receive more than local recognition.

Shoes! Shoes!

For men, youths and children, fully 25 per cent cheaper than any place in town, for a few days only. Men's shoes at $1 25 a pair; children's shoes at $1 a pair, at the grand clearance sale of S. Jacobs, the leading clothier.

A Surprise and Farewell.

The many friends of Mrs. A. A. Phillips gave her a surprise and farewell party at the Baptist Church parlors last evening. The whole affair was gotten up on the spur of the moment, but was nevertheless a success. It had been ascertained that Mrs. Phillips was to leave on the evening train to join her husband in Iowa and it was determined that her Reno friends should have the opportunity to say good bye and wish her a safe and pleasant journey. It was soon noised about and in less time than it can be told a pleasant surprise had been arranged and her friends and church associates were on hand to bid her farewell. The time sped rapidly, so fast in fact that the gathering could hardly realize the approaching hour of departure until a whistle announced the coming train. Hurried words of parting were spoken amidst smiles and tears, and Mrs. A. A. Phillips left Reno with the prayers and good wishes of many friends for continued prosperity and happiness.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison of Worthington, Ind., *Sun*, writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and $1. Get a bottle at S. J. Hodgkinson's drug store.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children when teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces Inflamation and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescirption of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" 4-1y

Diphtheria Cure.

The testimony of a prominent physician:

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This certifies that I have been using V. O. in my practice. I have never found any medical preparation in 46 years of practice that is calculated to do so much good in so wide a range of diseases and leave no after bad effects. *In Diphtheria* it has proved a perfect specific in my hands, and I had rather depend on it alone in that dreadful disease than the whole popular *Materia Medica* with that left out.

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For sale by
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A Carson M. D. Skips.

Dr. Ambrosewf, for some time a resident of Carson and about whom there seems to be a veil of mystery, left the Capital suddenly Tuesday evening saying that he was called East. It has developed in the last few days that the Hawkshaws of the law have been closing in on the doctor and he concluded that the better part of valor was to in gloriously "light out," so he lit.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25cts per box. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson

Supreme Court.

In the Supreme Court this morning the Hale & Norcross matter was brought up and it was agreed that the witnesses need not testify in the court in person, but depositions will be taken at their place of residence. Arguments and depositions will be heard on the 18th of May.

Granted A Pension

Congressman Newlands has secured for Mrs. Manns of this city, a widow's pension of $8 a month with back pay and residue of her late husband's pension.

Mr. Newlands, on the granting of the pension immediately took measures to have it increased to $12 per month.

School Shoes

Tassell Brothers have a large and fine assortment of shoes for school children which parents are invited to call and inspect as they are being sold at a very low rate 6-2tf.

The University Cadet Band will appear on the street on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The band has only been organized two months and Professor Hoskins says that the parade will simply be given in order to let the people see how they are progressing and not with a view of startling the public with any rendition of superior music. A week from Saturday the band will visit Virginia with the Ensign Company.

The Riverside Hotel is the only first-class hostelry in Reno. Its accommodations in every way are superior. It is away from the noise and bustle of the trains, yet near enough to the business part of town for convenience.

John W. Merrick, a former Comstocker and a member at one time of the Nevada Legislature, died at Empire Tuesday. He was well known in the western part of the State.

HUNTING WILD HORSES.

Queer Fun For the Cowboy Sportsmen In Southern Utah.

"You may talk about hunting deer and elk or mountain goats, but for real sport horse hunting is destined to lay all such shooting in the shade in the near future."

This remark was made by B. F. Saunders, one of the cattle kings of Utah. Mr. Saunders each year sells about 2,500 head of cattle to Montana stockmen.

"In the Rocky mountain ranges there are now roaming about fully 2,000,000 horses that may be said to belong to no one. The range horse has become so worthless and such a drug on the market that for several years past stockmen have not branded the young horses growing up. The horses on the plains now are about one-half without brands and are relapsed into a perfectly wild state.

"Down in the southern part of Utah, where my cattle range all the year, boys are shooting these wild horses whenever they get a chance. This practice, of course, makes those horses that escape wilder than ever, and it is only now and then that a band of horses can be approached near enough to get a shot at them. There is no danger of any one being injured by this sport, as the horses are a nuisance, and all cattlemen wish to see them exterminated. Many cattlemen themselves own bands of horses that are running wild, and when they go out to round them up it is not as of old to brand, but to shoot them.

"In the Rocky mountain ranges in Montana, Utah, Nevada and elsewhere it is now generally acknowledged that range horses are a public nuisance and they ought to be exterminated. They eat up the grass needed for cattle, and they are as hard on a range as sheep. The horses eat grass right down to the roots, thus in dry weather completely destroying the range they graze over.

"There was a time not many years ago when a big band of horses was considered very valuable property and guarded carefully. A horse thief was considered on the range one degree worse than a murderer and was hanged sometimes on very slight evidence.

"A man who would now go out on the range and steal a few bands of horses would be allowed to ship them away and be hailed as a public benefactor. Around his neck, instead of a rope, would be thrown wreaths of flowers, and all men would praise him as a philanthropist of a very high order.

"It is a fact that any one who wished could round up all the horses he could find in almost any section of the Rocky mountain range and no one would question his right. The day of the range horse is past, and it will never come again. The time is coming, in my mind, when the horse, like the buffalo, will be in danger of becoming extinct.

"Don't you know that in recent years the railroads compel a shipper to prepay freight on horses, which is the only sort of live stock where such a rule applies.

"The sport of hunting horses is encouraged by stockmen and can be indulged in with impunity. It is destined, I think, to become very popular, as it is exciting and somewhat dangerous.

"The proposition of canning horse meat for the European market was thought at one time to be a way of utilizing the range horse to advantage, but that is evidently a failure. It was talked of for some time, but nothing more is heard of it. The only way I can see of getting rid of horses is to make the sport of shooting them popular, as I believe it is destined to become.

"Of course a dead horse is no good, but thousands of buffaloes were killed for the sport there was hunting them, so why not horses?"—Butte Miner.

Du Maurier.

Few people know that the author of "Trilby" carried in all [illegible] heart. It is an extremely [illegible] disease, which is contracted [illegible] autumn, and is produced [illegible] the germ into the system. It seems [illegible] persons never experience what they need most. All his life Du Maurier dreaded total blindness, yet he died before the blow could fall. What splendid work he did with only one eye! One wonders if it could have been better had he been blessed with perfect vision.

I said to him one day, "How is it that your daughters have both married regular Du Maurier men—the kind you have aways drawn?"

"Oh," he said, with a whimsical smile, "I brought them up to think that was the only kind of man they could marry."

"That's all very well," said I. "But how do you explain the fact that your grandchildren are the very image of the children we all love so in your drawings?"

"I taught my girls," said he, "that those were the only kind of children they could have." It occurred to me that this was a triumph of mind over matter well worth considering.—Harper's Bazar.

Mirrors.

The earliest looking glasses, or mirrors, were of either metal, highly polished, or of black painted mica. It is noted in Jewish history that the laver was made of brass "of the looking glasses of the women assembling, which assembled at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation," and some commentators conjecture that these women gave up their bronze or copper hand mirrors to supply the material for the laver. Egyptian women always carried their mirrors to the temples, and the Hebrew women probably did likewise, as do the Arabian and Turkish women today. Glass mirrors are of comparatively recent date. Mirrors of silver and gold were commonly used in mediæval times. In 1360 Venice became the seat of the manufacture of glass mirrors, which have since superseded all other varieties, the improvements in the manufacture of plate glass enabling mirrors to be made of great size.

Caps of linen, wool, straw, bark of trees and leather were extensively worn in Egypt and Arabia in early times and were usually of a pointed or peaked shape. The variety of headdresses used by the Egyptian ladies was very great.

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By a middle aged lady—a good cook and housekeeper. Call at T. P. Bradshaw's, corner of West and 2d streets. 4-29w1

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H. Hamlin is in Reno with a large line of first class optical goods. Glasses fitted and satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. 4-29w1

A Called Meeting, O. E. S.

A called meeting of Adah Chapter No. 122 O. E. S., is hereby ordered by the worthy Grand Matron, for Monday evening, May 3, 1897, for the purpose of receiving the Worthy Grand Matron, Ella T. Hall, of the Grand Jurisdiction of California. Members please take notice. GRACE V WARD,
4-29td Secretary.

A Typewriter for Sale.

A second-hand caligraph in first-class condition for sale cheap. Information can be gained by addressing P. O. Box 700.
4-28 v1

New England Dinner.

The ladies of the Congregational Church will serve a splendid dinner in the basement of the church Thursday afternoon, the 29th inst. Price, 25c. All invited. 4-28w1

Pocket Memorandum Found.

Found on the street a pocket memorandum. May be of value to owner. Call and pay for this advertisement. ap27w1

Wood for Sale.

Twelve and sixteen inch wood at $4 50 per cord, full measurement. Orders left at S. O. Well's store will receive prompt attention.
4-23w1 RENO WOOD COMPANY

Rooms for Rent.

Furnished rooms, either single, en-suite or for light housekeeping can be found for rent cheap at MRS. E. C. ROFF'S,
4-13 West street.

For Sale.

Being about to break up housekeeping, I will sell at private sale at my residence, corner Riverside and Ralston streets, during the month of April, all my household furniture, carpets, rugs, pictures, kitchen utensils, garden tools, etc. These being all in fair condition and purchased in the East, will be sacrificed at the lowest prices. The rooms will be open for inspection to all wishing to purchase, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 2 to 6. P. M.

WILLIAM R. HAMILTON, U. S. Army.
Apr2w4.

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In Reno, a large well furnished house, centrally located with large garden plot and orchard under good cultivation, also barn and outbuildings, will be sold or rented at reasonable terms to right parties. Apply or address JOURNAL office. mar22tf.

Tomales.

Tomales, the very best made, at the corner of Second and Virginia streets, opposite Washoe Bank. Open till 12 o'clock at night. Chickens cooked Spanish style Sunday afternoons at 5 o'clock, also enchilalas.
Orders promptly attended to
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j14tf STEPHEN CONNER.

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If you want pure, fresh milk call on White & Steele. They deliver milk to any part of the city, morning and evening. The cleanliness of their dairy and surroundings is their pride. Give them a trial. jy2tf

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For a fine meal or a cool glass of beer, best of liquors of all kinds or a good cigar call at the Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon. A private dining room has been placed at the rear of the counter.
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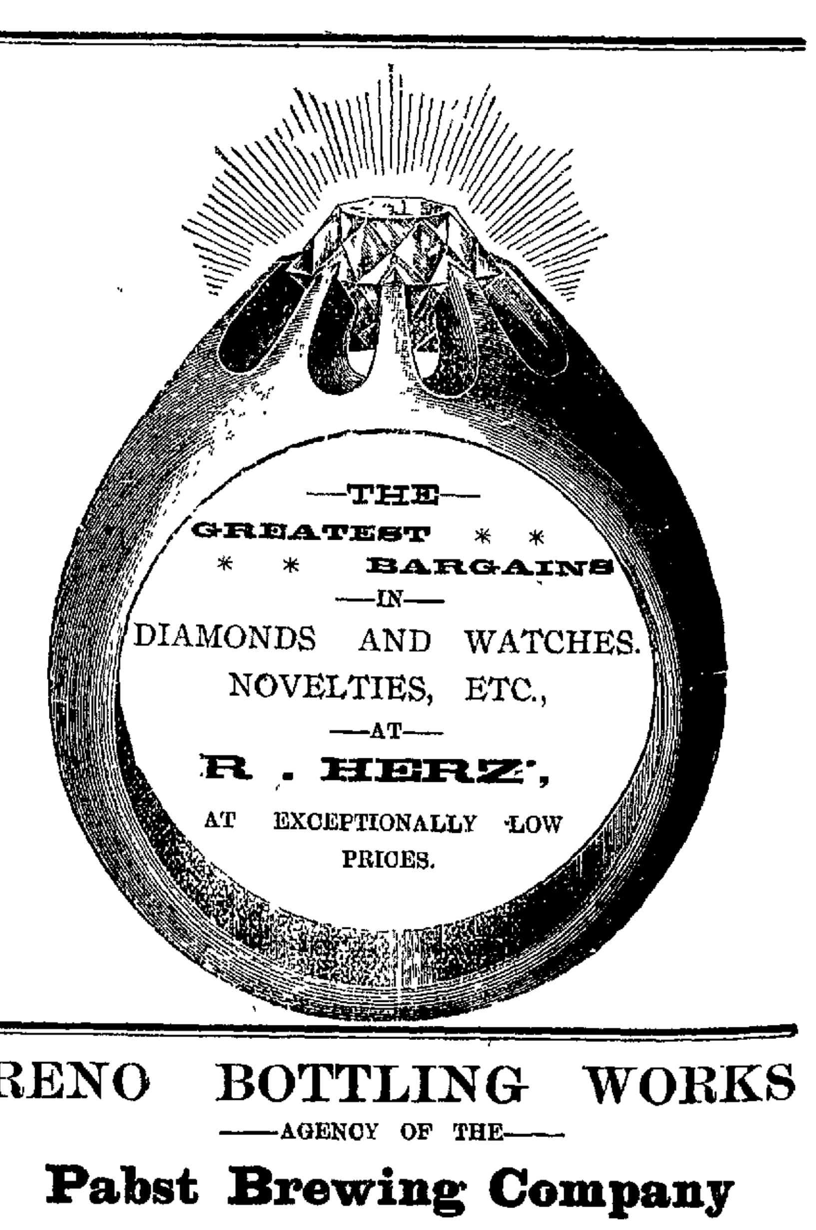

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

BIDS WANTED.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE City Council of the City of Reno, Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by said Council up to 12 o'clock, noon, on

Monday the 24th Day of May, 1897,

For doing all printing and advertising (except blanks) required for the City of Reno and ordered by the Council from May 24, 1897, to December 24, 1897. Bids to designate the amount per square for such printing and advertising. All bids to be addressed to the City Clerk, Reno, Nevada. The Council reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
By order of the Council,
F. B. PORTER,
City Clerk.
April 23, 1897. td

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

ORR WATER DITCH COMPANY—LOCATION of property, Reno, Washoe county, Nevada; place of business, Reno.—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Orr Water Ditch Company, held the 3d day of April, 1897, assessment No. 63 of $3 per share was levied on each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in lawful money to the Treasurer, the Washoe County Bank of Reno. Any stock upon which the assessment shall remain unpaid on

Monday, May 3, 1897,

Will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold by the Secretary at the office of the company on Friday, June 4, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, to pay the delinquent assessment and expenses of sale.
By order of the Board of Trustees,
CHAS. GULLING, Secretary.
Reno, Nev., April 3, 1897. td

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF Nevada, Washoe county.
In the matter of the estate of M. L. Holland, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified by the Second Judicial District Court of Nevada, Washoe county, as administratrix of the estate of M. L. Holland, late of said county, now deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to the Clerk of said Court within forty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, as the law directs, or they will be forever barred. MARY HOLLAND,
Administratrix.
Dated April 3, 1897. 4w

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE.

NORTH STAR GOLD MINING COMPANY —Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nev.; location of works, Grizzly Valley, Plumas county, Cal. Notice: There is delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment No. 1, levied on the 12th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount
Antene Dragovich	14	1,000	$20 00
do do	15	1,000	20 00
do do	16	1,000	20 00
do do	17	1,000	20 00
do do	18	1,000	20 00
do do	19	1,000	20 00
do do	20	23,633⅓	572 66⅔

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Trustees made on the 12th day of January, 1897. So many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company at Reno, Nevada, on Wednesday, the 17th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expense of sale.
JOHN S. GILSON, Secretary.
February 18, 1897.

POSTPONEMENT.

The foregoing sale is hereby posponed until April 1, 1897.
JOHN S. GILSON,
Secretary.

POSTPONMENT.

The above sale is postponed until May 1, 1897.
By order of the Board of Trustees
JNO. S. GILSON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Paula Manheim, deceased—Notice is hereby given by the administrators of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers to the administrator within four months from the date of the first publication of this notice at the office of T. V. Julien on Virginia street, in Reno, Nevada, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Washoe.
JOSEPH HAUSMANN,
EVALINA HAUSMANN,
Administrators.
T. V. JULIEN,
Attorney for the Estate.
Dated March 18, 1897.

WAGAR HOUSE.

MRS. D. P. HICKEY, recently of the Hotel Reno, has leased this well-known property, where she will be pleased to meet her friends and former patrons. She has a number of

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Family Embarrassment.

Two of the smallest men in the city were standing at the curbstone waiting for a car. Their conversation had been about the traditional feminine tendency to extravagance and the difficulty they had in keeping their domestic expenditures down to what they considered a reasonable limit.

"There they are now," exclaimed one of them.

"What?"

"Our wives. And I'll bet they've been shopping."

"They seem to be talking very earnestly about spending something."

"I'll bet I can tell what my wife is talking about."

"Are you a mind reader?"

"No. But I can make a guess on that subject. I'll bet you a dinner I can anyhow."

"I'll take it."

"All right. She's talking about spending money. We'll go up behind them and overhear what they are saying to prove it."

They crossed the street, and the originator of the idea smiled knowingly as his wife opened her purse and peered into it. "My dear," she said to her companion, "have you any change?"

"Yes, a little."

"Well, would you mind lending me a penny to buy a postal card?"

"Certainly, if I have one. Oh, yes Here it is."

"Thank you ever so much. I have 5 cents, but I hate to use it. A nickel always seems to go so fast after you once break it."

The man who offered the wager had won it, but for some reason he didn't seem proud.—Washington Star.

Quite Natural.

They were bowling along the boulevards just after their arrival in Paris the other day. They were Americans, and the wife was more conversant than the husband with the French language. Most of the time since their arrival had, of course, been spent in racing from one hotel to another in search of various fellow countrymen. This accomplished, the wife said that they would drive to the Louvre, where, it so happened, neither of them had ever been before. They accordingly made for the big square, with its shops on one side, the hotel on the other and the museum in front. As the latter burst upon the wife's vision, bringing to mind so many cherished associations and significances, she could hardly contain herself. "Oh," she cried, fairly jumping up and down with excitement, "there's the Louvre! Do you see, my dear? It's actually the Louvre." The husband "saw" all right enough, but not what the wife intended. The big art gallery is not labeled in any way, you know, and, moreover, the twain had spent all their previous time in hunting up their friends at various hostelries. With his eyes, therefore, fixed upon the sign "Hotel de Louvre" the husband calmly remarked, "Well, who's stopping there?"—New York Sun.

Guarding Her Employer's Secret.

A Lasalle street lawyer, who had spent three months in securing a power of attorney which would enable him to complete an important real estate deal, gave the paper granting him the desired authority to his stenographer.

He wanted a copy of the instrument for reference. A few minutes after the young lady had received the paper she handed to her employer the copy of the power of attorney.

"Where is the original?" queried the lawyer as he looked at the unconcerned typewriter.

"Oh, I tore that up," said the young woman with a smile. "I tore it into fine pieces so that no one would get hold of it."

The astonished lawyer spent the next half hour in picking bits of paper out of the waste basket. These he pasted on a sheet of paper and presented the patchwork to his clients to convince them of his good faith in their interests. He is now using the mails to secure again his power of [illegible].—Chicago News.

His Conversational Effort.

He did not know much about pictures, and when she spoke of a girl friend's achievements with a brush he was a little at sea. He said "Yes" and "No" with reasonable accuracy until she happened to say:

"What I am especially disposed to praise is her coloring."

"Her coloring!" he echoed with alacrity. "It's superb! You know I always did admire blonds."—Washington Star.

Amity Lodge, No. 8, K. of P.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF AMITY Lodge, No. 8, Knights of Pythias are held in Pythian Hall, New Investment Building, every Tuesday evening commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All knights in good standing are fraternally invited to attend By order of the Chancellor Commander. S. J. HODGKINSON.
4-1tf K. of R. & S

Truckee Lodge, No. 14. I. O. O. F.

TRUCKEE LODGE, NO. 14, I. O. O. F., meet in their new hall in Clough & Crosby's building, Second street, Reno, Nevada, every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Punctual attendance of members is requested. Sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to attend
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The Use to Which the Fisherman Puts His Discarded Nets.

In the majority of households an old newspaper is the material most commonly used to start a fire, and the adjustment of this material is a matter of considerable art. There should be enough of it to make a flame sufficient to ignite the wood laid upon it, and it should be put in with just the right degree of looseness so that the air will circulate through it and make it burn freely and to the best advantage. But there are houses in which paper is never used for this purpose—the homes of fishermen. Here, year in and year out, day after day, the fire is started with a chunk of discarded tarred netting, and there is nothing like it.

When a net gets tender, so that it is likely to burst when a body of kelp or seaweed floats against it in a tide way, or to break with a big catch of fish, it is condemned. It may be whole and look all right, but it doesn't pay to take any risks with it. Some fishermen using a considerable number of nets may have half a ton of such netting in a year. They use it to start fires, and give away some of it. Formerly they sold it for junk, and they do so now occasionally, though not so much as they did. It brings a cent a pound.

This netting has been tarred again and again with fine, thin tar and it is thoroughly saturated. The net may be 6 feet deep. A length of it is rolled up, and the roll is then flattened down. The flattened roll may be 6 inches wide, and it is cut off with an ax into chunks of perhaps a foot in length, just enough to lie nicely on the grate of a kitchen range. It is thoroughly dried before it is used. It all ignites quickly, and burns fiercely and uniformly, with a bluish flame and rather a pleasant odor. A properly laid fire with a section of old tarred netting to start it never goes out. Whoever attends to the kitchen fire in the fisherman's house prepares it, if possible, the night before and pulls a strand from the tarred netting out through the bars of the grate in front. To start the fire in the morning all that is necessary is to touch a lighted match to the end of that tarred rope yarn.

Some of this tarred netting has been sold to start the fire in locomotives. Such a thing is not unheard of as the use of cotton waste and oil for this purpose, but a sheet of old tarred netting laid over the grate bars beats the cotton waste out of sight. Still, locomotives have multiplied and tarred netting cuts no figure as a means of starting the fire in them. It is perhaps now used for that purpose, if at all, only on roads running through or near fishing districts. And, as said, it is now rarely sold. The fisherman uses it to start his own fire, and the man who has more than he wants gives to his neighbor.—New York Sun.

A Costly Joke.

A Berlin correspondent tells as true a story about a joke that resulted somewhat seriously for the man who invented it. This person was incredulous about the discriminating appreciation of wines which a distinguished friend of his claimed to possess, and to test the matter invited him to dine at a hotel whose landlord had previously been instructed to set before the connoisseur a bottle of excellent moselle. It was to bear no label or other marks to distinguish it from "vin ordinaire," and if questioned the landlord was to say that it cost only a small price. The invitation was accepted, and the plot was carried out. The guest had hardly taken a single sip from his glass, however, before he proved the injustice of his host's suspicion by exclaiming over the merit of the wine. He summoned the landlord, and on hearing that its price was 3 marks instantly ordered 1,000 bottles of the same vintage. The order was filled, and the host, rather than reveal the failure of his trick, paid the difference between the alleged and real price, which amounted to something over 4,000 marks.

English Lawyers.

In the United States the names applied to lawyers are usually attorney and counselor at law. In Great Britain there are barristers at law, who are counselors, learned in the laws, qualified and admitted to practice at the bar; solicitors, who are attorneys, advocates or counselors at law, who are authorized to practice in the English court of chancery; sergeants at law, who are lawyers of the highest rank and answer to the doctor of the civil law. Only after 16 years of practice at the bar can one become a sergeant. Queen's counsel are eminent lawyers, who are given by the government that title, and from their number all the judges are chosen.

Liszt to Von Bulow's Mother.

Hans is evidently gifted with a musical organization of the rarest kind. His executive talent will easily place him in the front rank of the greatest pianists, and his essays at composition denote quite exceptional qualities of imagination, of individuality and of conception. Besides, Hans has taken an antipathy to every career which would sever him from art. Permit me, then, to confide to your motherly love the happy solution of the noble struggle between his natural vocation and that destined for him, however bright and alluring it might be, and in view of the sentiments which dictate this letter pray pardon the intercession I have ventured to make to you today.—"Early Correspondence of Hans Von Bulow."

A Unique Law.

A unique law is still in force at Stratford, in Prussian Pomerania. A paragraph of the police regulation of 1840, which is still being enacted, reads, "Smoking in the streets or promenades of this town is positively prohibited, violators of this law being punished by a fine, or eventually by a number of marks the fine amounts to."

Carlyle on Disraeli.

William Black, the novelist, in his reminiscences of Carlyle, reports him as saying: "There's that man Disraeli. They tell me he is a good speaker. Perhaps I do not know what a good speaker is. But I read a speech of his that he delivered in [illegible] ago, and it [illegible] of [illegible] creature [illegible]

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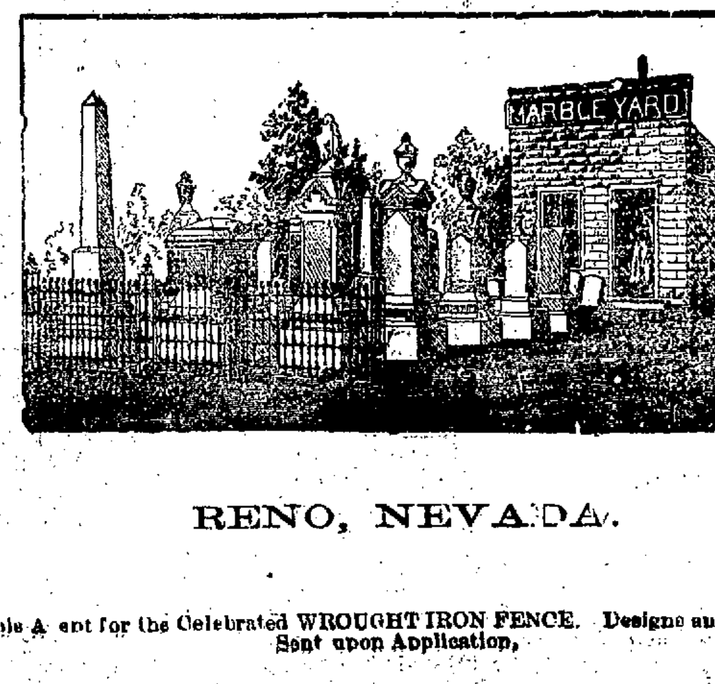

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